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WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-003521 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 15-Aug-2008

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 1400 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 2300 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

CWI Name: CWI Present: Yes No Hu Wei Qing **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A Yes N/A **Electrode to specification:** No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:**

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** OBG

Summary of Items Observed:

Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector, Larry Viars was present to observe fabrication and perform Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of Orthotropic Box Girder (OBG) components, for the San Francisco Oakland Bay Self Anchored Suspension Bridge, at Zhenhua Port Machinery Company (ZPMC) facility on Changxing Island.

Assembly Bay # 2

This Quality Assurance (QA) inspector arrived at ZPMC in Shanghai China for observation of Orthotropic Bridge Girders (OBG) and Self Anchored Suspension (SAS) Bridge. This QA inspector received notification from day shift task leader to perform conventional Ultrasonic (A scan) Inspection for tack welds on deck panels. The inspection is preliminary prior to using the phased array system to verify indications found with conventional Ultrasonic testing. This QA inspector performed UT on deck panel DP109-002, weld 2 scanned 13 locations with 2 indications, weld 3 scanned 13 locations with 2 indications, weld 4 scanned 13 locations with 6 indications. A total of 39 tack welds were tested with 10 indications found. This QA inspector was informed by the task leader that a TL-6027 was not required at this time.

Sub Assembly Bay # 7

QA performed 10% verification Magnetic particle Testing (MT) on the following OBG longitudinal diaphragm fillet welds, LD001-008-011, LD021-002-0011, LD003-020-011, LD003-017-011, LD004-018-011, LD004-019-011, LD013-002-011, LD002-008-011 and LD004-020-011. ZPMC notification of NDT listed welds 001 through 012. Only testing of weld 011 was possible due to the plates positioning. All of the welds that were

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examined appeared to comply with AWS D1.5 2002 and the contract documents. See MT report TL-6028, generated on this date for further information.

Summary of Conversations:

No relevant conversations between Caltrans QA and QC occurred this date.

Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Ady Velasco, 138 1694 2685, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Viars,Larry	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Lanz,Joe	QA Reviewer